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>From ???@??? Wed Aug 15 12:31:53 2007 -0500
Date: Wed, 15 Aug 2007 12:30:43 CDT
From: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: BOATANCHORS digest 4078
Message-Id: <20070815173044.E0BC33180F3@srvr1.theporch.com>

BOATANCHORS Digest 4078

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     by John Dilks K2TQN <oldradio@worldnet.att.net>
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 10) Re: Boatanchors list - happy 15th birthday
     by wb3fau@att.net
 11) Re: Boatanchors list - happy 15th birthday
     by wb3fau@att.net
 12) 6HS6 sub
     by Jsehring <jsehring@siouxvalley.net>
 13) Re: Boatanchors list - happy 15th birthday
     by "David Thompson" <thompson@mindspring.com>
 14) Re: 6HS6 sub
     by "Arden Allen" <gumbear@pacbell.net>
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     by W7QHO@aol.com
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     by David Hollander <n7rk@cox.net>
 17) Re: 6HS6 sub
     by "Sandy" <ebjr37@charter.net>
 18) Heathkit SB-200

    by "J.D. Mac Aulay, WQ8U" <jmac6235@yahoo.com>
 19) Re: Boatanchors list - happy 15th birthday
    by "Morris Odell" <vilgotch@bigpond.net.au>
 20) Re: 6HS6 sub
    by "Arden Allen" <gumbear@pacbell.net>

Date: Mon, 13 Aug 2007 16:23:49 -0400
From: "Nick England" <nick@3rdtech.com>
Subject: Boatanchors list - happy 15th birthday
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Message-id: <01ba01c7dde7$dbeb18f0$2f0212ac@Heathkit2>
MIME-version: 1.0
Content-type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-transfer-encoding: 7bit

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Nick KD4CPL

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+ From lockwood Thu Aug 13 11:15:15 1992
+ Return-Path: <lockwood>
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+ To: boatanchors@acidqueen
+ Subject: testing, testing....
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+ 73,
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+ Jim - KM6NK
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Message-Id: <6.2.1.2.2.20070813164341.0301dbe0@pop-server.nc.rr.com>
Date: Mon, 13 Aug 2007 16:44:28 -0400
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
From: john <johnmb@nc.rr.com>
Subject: Re: Boatanchors list - happy 15th birthday
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"; format=flowed

FIFTEEN YEARS...wow..... I'm now a boatanchor!!

Happy birthday to us!

John (thanks JimL!)

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Message-ID: <46C0F7B9.6090800@tbc.net>
Date: Mon, 13 Aug 2007 19:30:49 -0500
From: Steve Berg <wa9jml@tbc.net>
MIME-Version: 1.0
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: Re: Boatanchors list - happy 15th birthday
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=ISO-8859-1; format=flowed
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

My thanks also to the list managers and all the people that make this list such a great resource to those of us who treasure vacuum tube technology. I had a great time meeting Jack on his way out East and look forward to putting that choke I bought into a power supply for my G-76 over the winter. Thanks again for all these years of virtual conviviality!

Steve WA9JML

Mime-Version: 1.0 (Apple Message framework v752.2)
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Message-Id: <FB17FE9E-0D1B-4C73-A57C-F5021864B451@bellsouth.net>
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
From: Tom Norris <r390a@bellsouth.net>
Subject: Re: Boatanchors list - happy 15th birthday
Date: Mon, 13 Aug 2007 19:57:57 -0500

To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>

Yayyyy!!

Happy 15th. It seems like only yesterday when you had to pay to be
here. :-P

Tom

On Aug 13, 2007, at 3:44 PM, john wrote:

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Tom Norris
R390A@BellSouth.net

"Just because your children were born in the South does not make them
Southerners. After all, if a cat had kittens in the oven, that
wouldn't make them biscuits."

Message-ID: <46C10EA6.6010708@bellsouth.net>
Date: Mon, 13 Aug 2007 21:08:38 -0500
From: Ben Hall <kd5byb@bellsouth.net>
MIME-Version: 1.0
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: Re: Boatanchors list - happy 15th birthday
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=ISO-8859-1; format=flowed
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Wow, fifteen years. Amazing! I signed on around 1995 or so and it
still seems like yesterday.

I also extend my thanks to the folks here and now as well as those past
who make this place such a valuable resource!

Thanks much and 73,
ben, kd5byb
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Thanks and 73,
Ben, KD5BYB

From: "Bill Hawkins" <bill@iaxs.net>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>

Subject: RE: Boatanchors list - happy 15th birthday
Date: Mon, 13 Aug 2007 21:33:59 -0500
Message-ID: <000001c7de1b$923a0e30$021ba8c0@cyrus>
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Is it only 15 years? I joined before Phil Porch hosted it, Back then, it was nostalgia radio. The evil SS stuff that concealed its functions behind some many-legged bug offered no chance to go in and repair something with only a knowledge of basic electronics. Well, not always so basic.

Those were the days of Stan Griffiths, Boatanchor Bob, Barry Ornitz and numerous others who enlightened those of us groping in the dark for ways to fix the stuff we'd found at hamfests and Internet lists.

There was a man who was interested in RME equipment who was a fountain of knowledge. I'll think of his name as soon as I hit the 'send' button.

Time has marched on, and the original oracles have tired of answering our repetitious questions, as if we had no skills at reading history. Interests change, too. The original nostalgic lust has resulted in a basement full of projects that I'll never get to. Most of the heavy stuff is gone.

This list helped keep me going when out-of-sight management closed our successful business in 1999. Strange, that murdering individuals is despised, but murdering companies is just competition.

I still read the list, and occasionally contribute when a new subject comes up. Glad to see that grounding and GFCIs haven't been rehashed lately.

Many thanks to Jim, who started it, and Jack, who managed it for many years with only a few Jack Attacks.

Bill Hawkins

Message-ID: <46C17A5E.8010103@pacbell.net>
Date: Tue, 14 Aug 2007 04:48:14 -0500
From: Dan Arney <hankarn@pacbell.net>
MIME-Version: 1.0
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
CC: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: Re: Boatanchors list - happy 15th birthday

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Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Bill very well said, You tool the words out of my mind HiHi. Did you
forget True/Magnetic NAWTH??
Hank
KN6DI

Date: Tue, 14 Aug 2007 05:48:13 -0400
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
From: John Dilks K2TQN <oldradio@worldnet.att.net>
Subject: Variable Capacitor needed
Cc: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"; format=flowed
Message-Id: <20070814095051.932203180FA@srvr1.theporch.com>

Hi Gang,

I'm going to the AWA meet this month in Rochester. I'm looking for a
Variable Capacitor to finish a project restoration. The original specs are:

"Cardwell type 164-B transmitting condenser, max. cap. 220 mmfds."
(It's not the high-voltage type, it is used in the antenna tuning circuit.)

This is for a 75-watt 1931 transmitter built from a Radio News
article. Will buy or swap - what do you need?

73, John Dilks, K2TQN

Date: Tue, 14 Aug 2007 09:01:34 -0400 (EDT)
From: stuck in 50s <polepeeg@aa4rm.ba-watch.org>
Message-Id: <200708141301.l7ED1YmQ029626@fracas.netboobie.org>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: Re: Boatanchors list - happy 15th birthday

As carrot top used to say about Burger King, "I love this place"

Goes for me.

On the list of contributing pioneers, think Roberta Barwmore got missed -
but never mind for me. Finally met RB @ Dayton this year.

Another item. "Beeker" Ornitz was mentioned. But haven't gotten an
email thru to him. Love to see him again @ Shelby

Anyone got new data?

Tnx fellers.

   Marty

From: wb3fau@att.net
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Cc: "Nick England" <nick@3rdtech.com>
Subject: Re: Boatanchors list - happy 15th birthday
Date: Tue, 14 Aug 2007 14:30:31 +0000
Message-Id:
<081420071430.21328.46C1BC8700020AEE000053502161243646 9A0E00CC0D99@att.net>

Very good on the 100LB xmtrs. 6146 rigs with power supplies beefy enough to weld with. I have one of each, done many mods. Still not real happy with the DX-100 VFO. Great fun
with inexpensive rigs! Russ.

From: wb3fau@att.net
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Cc: Steve Berg <wa9jml@tbc.net>
Subject: Re: Boatanchors list - happy 15th birthday
Date: Tue, 14 Aug 2007 14:35:03 +0000
Message-Id:
<081420071435.24871.46C1BD97000263AD000061272161243646 9A0E00CC0D99@att.net>

Steve- would you mind spelling that? [conviviality].....I have to look that up. Russ.

Subject: 6HS6 sub
Date: Tue, 14 Aug 2007 13:09:22 -0600
From: Jsehring <jsehring@siouxvalley.net>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
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Content-Transfer-Encoding: quoted-printable
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sp;&amp;gt; &amp;nbsp; <font face=3D"Courier New, Courier, mono" size=3D"2">
By reversing the cathode and suppressor grid connections at the tube socket=
<br>
&amp;gt;you will find tons of good replacement tubes, nice "hot" 43MHz TV IF am=
ps=2E<br>
&amp;gt;For example, 6CB6, common as hemorrhoids ;-)<br>
&amp;gt;<br>
&amp;gt;Arden Allen</font>

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Message-ID: <002001c7deb0$ad8edd60$25669a04@yourxb2x7j77gn>
From: "David  Thompson" <thompson@mindspring.com>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: Re: Boatanchors list -  happy 15th birthday
Date: Tue, 14 Aug 2007 16:21:08 -0400
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
     charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Boy has time flown (and my memory has gotten worse).  I signed on in early
1994.   Used a Compaq 386SX that ran at 33Mhz.  I upgraded that PC to a
486SX 100 with a Trinity Software upgrade board.  I had a problem with the
board running at 133Mhz (er Mcs here) that often outran the audio and video
card.  Had to keep resetting it.

I remember one of the founders Jim was from GA and was here settling his
family estate and finally QSYed to California.  He was a K4I something.  I
sold him a shinny P&H linear (it has a chrome cover) to go with his SBE 34.

Plenty of boatanchors have passed thru my shack since then  gone but
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remembered included several HQ-170's, two SR-150's, a Lafayette version of the DX-60 and a nice Lafayette VFO, a grand SR-2000 with PS and HA-20 (real dual RX), Several Clegg RX;s and a Thor 6, at least two complete Elmac stations, A Galaxy GT-550, a Henry 2KD-2, A Viking II CD (with restricted audio), a Pierson RX, and several National RX's. I still have an HQ-120 modified by the last Hammarlund Engineer at Mars Hill, a HQ-129X, a Gonset G-76 tuned up at K9STH's, a Elmac A-54H with 40 meters added, a Heath SB-10, A Heath HV Bench supply, a Heath TC-2 tube tester, several Heath SWR bridges, 2 Tymeter Clocks, and A Morrow CM-1 Broadcast RX to be mated with a Regency ATC-1 converter (I am looking for the old delco auto radio plugs).

Even my Rice Boxes are classic (20+ years old).

73 Dave K4JRB

Message-ID: <003701c7deb1$23e29ce0$ae9e480c@KB6NAX>
From: "Arden Allen" <gumbear@pacbell.net>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: Re: 6HS6 sub
Date: Tue, 14 Aug 2007 13:23:38 -0700
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
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In a message dated 8/14/07 1:26:27 PM, gumbear@pacbell.net writes:

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> do
> what you suggest, instead of using the 6HS6.=A0 ......!
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> $$$=
.
> Is that loud enough?=A0 If not that, engineers have their favorites for a
> variety of reasons.=A0 Why did the ARRL handbook favor the 6SB7Y over the=20=
6SA7
> besides better conversion transconductance?=A0 Available in surplus?=A0 Th=
ey
> didn't have to buy them in the thousands against a bottom line.=A0 Competi=
tion
> among tube mfrs. was very keen...
>=20

Engineering decisions are made for all sorts of reasons. The point is,=20
they're our decisions to make. Others get to second guess.......

Dennis D. W7QHO
BSEE 1957, 40 years in the game.

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 Get a sneak peek of the all-new AOL at=20
http://discover.aol.com/memed/aolcom30tour

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Date: Tue, 14 Aug 2007 15:50:48 -0700
From: David Hollander <n7rk@cox.net>
MIME-Version: 1.0
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: Help ID Several Old Thordarson Transformers
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=ISO-8859-1; format=flowed
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

I have several old Thordarson transformers. I can not find them in any
of my catalogs which go back to the mid 1930's.

The numbers are:

T-45733 I think this is an audio, driver or modulation transformer
T-46249 Filament transformer
T-44816 Plate Transformer

All three are in a housing with the flat top and bottom with terminals
are on the bottom. All three are gray.

This case style is not in my catalogs so maybe early 1930"s or late 1920's

can anyone help me with specs on these three/

73 es Tnx,

Dave N7RK

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Dave N7RK   Boatanchors Home Page: http://members.cox.net/n7rk
Phoenix, Arizona   *DXCC Honor Roll*   *WAZ#22 - 75 Meter SSB*

ex-XE2/N7RK, N7RK/ZB2, VK2ERK, ZM0AJN, WB6NRK, WN6IWX

Boatanchor and Antique Radio Collector

Message-ID: <008201c7decb$48e82810$b9d5be42@gateway>
From: "Sandy" <ebjr37@charter.net>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: Re: 6HS6 sub
Date: Tue, 14 Aug 2007 18:31:46 -0500
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My recommendation on the 6HS6 "sub" is the old reliable 6AH6! Very =
close in ratings, heater current and transconductance.

Drake seemed to enjoy picking really "oddball" combinations of tubes, =
especially 6 volt heater ones and using strange additions of resistors =
to balance out current differences in the tubes when they were used on a =
12 volt supply line! Makes it a pain in the arse to plug in "subs" with =
differing heater currents! That was rather stupid engineering!

Anyway the 6AH6 seemed to work great in my old R4A receiver or was it =
the T4X transmitter? The old 2B receiver used 12 and 6 volts tubes but =
the arrangement in the R4 and T4 "line" was really goofy.

73,
Sandy W5TVW
  ----- Original Message -----=20
  From: Jsehring=20
  To: Old Tube Radios=20
  Sent: Tuesday, August 14, 2007 2:09 PM
  Subject: 6HS6 sub

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tube socket
>you will find tons of good replacement tubes, nice "hot" 43MHz TV IF =
amps.
>For example, 6CB6, common as hemorrhoids ;-)
>
>Arden Allen=20

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Date: Tue, 14 Aug 2007 18:47:09 -0700 (PDT)
From: "J.D. Mac Aulay, WQ8U" <jmac6235@yahoo.com>
Subject: Heathkit SB-200
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
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I am repairing an SB-200 and need a 40 meter input coil, P/N 40-592.

  I would appreciate hearing from anyone having one to spare or the components to build one.

  Thanks & 73
  mac
  WQ8U
  Hillsborough, NC

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From: "Morris Odell" <vilgotch@bigpond.net.au>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: Re: Boatanchors list - happy 15th birthday
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I'd just like to add my $0.02 worth. I have been reading and occasionally writing here for most of the 15 years. This is a wonderful online community. I have had my old interest in Boatanchors rekindled, learnt a lot and met some wonderful people both electronically and in the flesh. And a special thanks is due to Jack whose tough moderation has kept the S/N ratio high and

suppressed the sort of drivel you see on just about every other online electronics discussion group. I hope we're all still here for another 15 years at least!

73 to all from down under

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Message-ID: <005301c7df61$d5a94310$099f480c@KB6NAX>
From: "Arden Allen" <gumbear@pacbell.net>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: Re: 6HS6 sub
Date: Wed, 15 Aug 2007 10:23:48 -0700
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> ....Engineering decisions are made for all sorts of reasons. The point is,
they're our decisions to make. Others get to second guess.......

No disrespect intended, Dennis, but I worked for engineers for 25+ years and I know how much freedom they had and it wasn't much. If the choices didn't fit management's programs the door wasn't very far away. Engineering is more a pursuit of meeting product specifications (including costs) and less of re-inventing wheels. That's why forty year old bridges fall down and lemons don't only grow on trees. It's damn good engineers that can come out on top of that!

Arden Allen
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